FREDERICK COUNTY LIQUOR BOARD

Public Meeting Minutes Monday, April 12, 2021

AMENDED

Those Present: Mrs. Debbie Burrell, Chair

> Ms. Joan Aquilino, Board Member Mr. Chris Glass, Board Member

Mr. Andrew Ford, Assistant County Attorney Mr. Bob Shrum, Alcoholic Beverage Inspector Mr. Robert Lind, Alcoholic Beverage Inspector Mrs. Dawn Shugars, Acting Coordinator

Ms. Ashley Kneessi, Administrative Specialist V

A Public Meeting was held virtually and was called to order at 8:54 AM by the Chair, Debbie Burrell. Dawn Shugars and Andrew Ford swore in all participants for today's hearing as the case were called.

- 1. New Applications
 - a. 5C Sushi and Grill

5C Sushi and Grill Wanjin Chin for the use of Sushi Densha One, Inc.

Pending items are Able, Occupancy Permit, Fire Marshal, Bulk Transfer and Inspectors Report.

Inspector Shrum went to the location March 27, 2021 and they meet the requirements of the liquor board.

Interpreter services provided by Mr. Chu-Fa Tan for the applicant to communicate properly with the Board.

There was no public comment.

MOTION: Ms. Aguilino made a motion for conditional approval May 31, 2021. Licensee will need to work with Mrs. Shugars on the Alcohol Plan with staff ensuring compliance and training before issuing the license.

SECOND: Mr. Glass seconded the motion.

FURTHER DISCUSSION ON THE MOTION: There was no further discussion.

VOTE: Mrs. Burrell –Aye Ms. Aquilino – Aye Mr. Glass - Aye

The vote was unanimous Ayes 3, Nay-o

(Motion passed)

b. Pumpernickle and Rye

a.

Pumpernickel & Rye Amy Nesbit and Megan Hook for the use of Pumpernickel & Rye, LLC

Pending items are Able and Inspectors Report.

Inspector Shrum went to the location March 27, 2021 and they meet the requirements of the liquor board.

There was no public comment.

MOTION: Ms. Aquilino made a motion for conditional approval April 30, 2021. Staff ensuring compliance and training before issuing the license.

SECOND: Mr. Glass seconded the motion.

FURTHER DISCUSSION ON THE MOTION: There was no further discussion.

Wote: Mrs. Burrell –Aye Ms. Aquilino – Aye Mr. Glass - Aye

The vote was unanimous Ayes 3, Nay-o

- 2. Transfer License
 - a. FDK Groceries

FDK Groceries Padmaja Parasa for the use of Maryland Kap, LLC UPGRADE TO Beer and Wine

• Pending items none and there is no violation history for the establishment.

There was no public comment.

MOTION: Ms. Aquilino made a motion for conditional approval April 30, 2021. Staff ensuring compliance before issuing the license.

SECOND: Mr. Glass seconded the motion.

FURTHER DISCUSSION ON THE MOTION: There was no further discussion.

VOTE: Mrs. Burrell –Aye

Ms. Aquilino – Aye Mr. Glass - Aye

The vote was unanimous *Ayes 3, Nay-o*(Motion passed)

b. Hero's Deli

a.

Hero's Deli
Everaldo Hernandez
for the use of Hero's Deli & Pizzeria, LLC
UPGRADE TO: Beer, Wine and Liquor

• Pending items none and there is no violation history for the establishment.

There was no public comment.

MOTION: Ms. Aquilino made a motion for conditional approval April 30, 2021. Staff ensuring compliance before issuing the license.

SECOND: Mr. Glass seconded the motion.

FURTHER DISCUSSION ON THE MOTION: There was no further discussion.

VOTE: Mrs. Burrell –Aye

Ms. Aquilino – Aye Mr. Glass - Aye

The vote was unanimous Ayes 3, Nay-o
(Motion passed)

c. Pretzel Pizza Creation

Pretzel Pizza Creations Natalia Nastovia for the use of Pretzel Pizza Creations, Inc UPGRADE TO: Beer, Wine and Liquor

• Pending items none. Violation history, May 5, 2014, drinking after hours, June 14, 2014, late to pick up license, June 8, 2016 Alcohol Awareness violation and August 2, 2017 Alcohol ratio report not filed.

There was no public comment.

MOTION: Ms. Aquilino made a motion for conditional approval April 30, 2021. Staff ensuring compliance before issuing the license.

SECOND: Mr. Glass seconded the motion.

FURTHER DISCUSSION ON THE MOTION: There was no further discussion.

VOTE: Mrs. Burrell –Aye

Ms. Aquilino – Äye Mr. Glass - Aye

d. Miyakos

Miyako's (Stock Transfer Only) Ki N Kim and Rachel Kim for the use of HKI Kim, Inc Transfer From: Hyung P Kim, Ki N Kim and Soo H Kim for the use of HKI Kim, Inc

• Pending items are Able and Inspectors Report. Violation history July 8, 2014, failure to notify address change, August 2, 2017, Alcohol ratio report not filed, October 9, 2017, Sale to minor 500 fine.

Inspector Lind went to the location March 17, 2021, and they meet the requirements of the liquor board.

There was no public comment.

MOTION: Ms. Aquilino made a motion for conditional approval April 30, 2021. Staff ensuring compliance and training before issuing the license.

SECOND: Mr. Glass seconded the motion.

FURTHER DISCUSSION ON THE MOTION: There was no further discussion.

VOTE: Mrs. Burrell –Aye

Ms. Aquilino – Aye Mr. Glass - Aye

The vote was unanimous Ayes 3, Nay-o

e. Dehli 6

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Deepa Lama, Santosh Lama, Ranjit Lama and Tul Bahadur Lama for the use of Lama & Sharma, LLC Transfer From: Santosh Lama and Shiva Sharma for the use of Lama and Sharma, LLC

Pending items are Able and Inspectors Report. No violation history for this establishment.

Inspector Shrum went to the location March 27, 2021, and they meet the requirements of the liquor board.

There was no public comment.

MOTION: Ms. Aquilino made a motion for conditional approval April 30, 2021. Staff ensuring compliance and training to be addressed with Mrs. Shugars before issuing the license.

SECOND: Mr. Glass seconded the motion.

FURTHER DISCUSSION ON THE MOTION: There was no further discussion.

WOTE:

Mrs. Burrell –Aye
Ms. Aquilino – Aye
Mr. Glass - Aye

The vote was unanimous Ayes 3, Nay-o

f. Red Horse Steak House

Red Horse Steak House Jose Perez and Yolanda Pineda for the use of B R & L Latino Flavor, LLC Transfer From: Kenneth Bromfield and Roy Bromfield for the use of Sports Enterprises, Inc

• Pending items are Able, Bulk Transfer, fingerprints, and Inspectors Report. Violation history, 2018 Sale to minor in Montgomery County, 1-19-2018 Sale to minor in Delaware.

Inspector Shrum went to the location March 27, 2021, and they meet the requirements of the liquor board.

There was no public comment.

MOTION: Mr. Glass made a motion for conditional approval June 15, 2021. Staff ensuring compliance and training before issuing the license.

SECOND: Mrs. Burrell seconded the motion.

FURTHER DISCUSSION ON THE MOTION: There was no further discussion.

VOTE: Mrs. Burrell –Aye

Ms. Aquilino – Aye Mr. Glass - Aye

The vote was unanimous *Ayes* 3, *Nay-o*

g. Crestwood Liquors

Crestwood Liquor Raj Makwana and Gautam Patel for the use of Crestwood Enterprise, LLC Transfer From: In Kim for the use of Crestwood Plaza Liquors, Inc

• Pending items are Able and tax release.

Inspector Shrum went to the location March 27, 2021, and they meet the requirements of the liquor board. There is no history for either applicant.

There was no public comment.

MOTION: Ms. Aquilino made a motion for conditional approval June 30, 2021. Staff ensuring compliance and training before issuing the license.

SECOND: Mr. Glass seconded the motion.

FURTHER DISCUSSION ON THE MOTION: There was no further discussion.

VOTE: Mrs. Burrell –Aye

Ms. Aquilino – Aye Mr. Glass - Aye

The vote was unanimous Ayes 3, Nay-o

- 1. Middletown Application Process: <u>Legal Counsel discussed with the Board its policies</u> with respect to an application for a census-driven license. After discussion by the Commissioners, the Chair, with agreement of the other Commissioners, directed Staff to proceeding with the processing of the application of Applicant "A".
- 2. Minutes approval was tabled until the next meeting for further revision.
- 3. Enbloc to approve renewals Ms. Aquilino motioned to approve. Mr. Glass seconded the motion. All in favor by all three Board members.
- 4. Legislation update Mrs. Shugars to gather comments and discuss at the next hearing.
- 5. Public Comment
 - a. Suzanne Lewis made public comment regarding the Middletown application process. She feels the location should open quickly. She asked about the deadline of the when the applicants will be heard. Staff replied within 45 days.

Meeting adjourned at 11:24 am

Respectfully submitted, Penny Bussard, Administrative Specialist V FREDERICK COUNTY LIQUOR BOARD